OFFICIAL MEMORANDUM STATE OF TEXAS OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

Pursuant to Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I, George W. Bush, Governor of Texas, do hereby disapprove and veto Senate Bill No. 1525 because of the following objections:

Senate Bill No. 1525 amends the Licensed Dietician Act to require the licensure of persons who merely give nutritional counseling, inappropriately extending governmental regulatory control to those who simply give advice about good nutrition.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of the State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this 20th day of June, 1999.

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George V. Bush Governor of Texas

SECRETARY OF STATE

Secretary of State